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SUBJECT.

File re raising the provision for the Construction of a chattram at Lower Tirupathi, ~~from~~ Rs 10,000 to 11,000 in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Ramaraja Vadayar Bahadur.

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.	LATER REFERENCES.
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Memo of monuments and charitable grants in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Chamarajendra Wodayar Bahadur, G.C.S.I.

State Expenditure—		Rs.
i.	Equestrian Statue at Mysore	70,000
ii.	An Industrial School at Mysore with Endowment of Scholarships for poor Students	... 1,00,000
iii.	Dharmasala at Calcutta at the place of cremation	... 30,000
iv.	Chattram at Lower Tripati	10,000
v.	Chattram and Bathing Ghat at Seringapatam	60,000
vi.	Temple at Mysore	... 1,00,000
	Total	3,70,000

vii. The grant of 240 acres* of unoccupied Government waste land, as Agrahar Inams at 5 acres for each house, for 18 houses of the Sitavilas and 30 houses of the Chamraj Agrahars.

*These are best given out of waste Sircar dry lands likely to be irrigated by the proposed Gandanhalli South Branch of the new Alalkatte North Channel from the Cauvery. The lands when converted into wet as proposed would bear an average Land Revenue of Rs. 5 per acre and, if sold by public auction, they may perhaps fetch Rs. 100 per acre, besides a contribution of Rs. 25.

viii. Grant of Rs. 1,000 per mensem for the maintenance of the Institutions iii to vi above and of other charities.

Expenditure from Palace Budget—		Rs.	
i.	Religious ceremonies		40,000
ii.	Agrahar at Mysore—	Rs.	
	(*a*) Cost of 30 houses	45,000	
	(*b*) Cost of levelling, terracing, &c. of 240 acres of unoccupied waste land proposed to be granted as Agrahar Inams at, say, Rs. 60 per acre	14,400	
			59,400
	Total Palace Expenditure estimated		99,400 or say 1 Lakh.

2. The Alalkatte Anikat and Channel in the Mysore District and the Hessarghatta Water Works for Bangalore to be called respectively—

The Chamaraj Anikat and Channel
and
The Chamaraj Water Works, Bangalore.

NOTE.—*Items* i, iii and vi are required in accordance with popular ideas of what is required.

Items ii, iv and v would in the ordinary course have had to be carried out by the State and advantage is taken of the present occasion to regard them as works in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja.

Item vii is kept as low as possible and is free from all objection. The lands are waste with no tenancy rights of any kind. The grant is exceedingly moderate compared with what is usual in such cases.

Item viii. This is also in accordance with what is usual on such occasions. The amount is moderate and is in fact the same as what was sanctioned for the Chattram built in the name of Krishnaraja Wodayar III, during the British Administration.

13*th December* 1895.

K. SHESHADRI IYER,
Dewan.

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore.

Read:-

Dewan's Memo dated 13th December 1895 assigning a sum of Rs.10,000/- for the construction of a Chattram at Lower Tirupati, North Arcot District, in Memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Chamaraja Wodayer Bahadur.

And:-

Muzrai Superintendents note dated 27th August 1896 reporting that the proposed Chattram will be built on the plot of ground known as the "Sukravara garden" (at present vacant) at Tirupati belonging to the Mysore State; and that the cost thereof will amount to Rs.11,000/-.

Order thereon No.435 dated Bangalore 23rd September 1896.

Under the circumstances reported by the Muzrai Superi tendent in his note read above, the Government are pleased to raise the provision for the construction of the Chattram at Lower Tirupati from Rs.10,000 to Rs.11,000.

2. The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore will be

requestec to place the amount of Rs.11,000 herein sanctioned at the disposal of the Muzrai Superintendent who will take the necessar, steps to commence the work forthwith.

Sd.) A. Sreenivassa charlu

Muzrai Secretary.

To The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.